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BLISS ON BREAD *Le Bon de Cuisine serves what it calls a 'Parisian chicken sandwich.'*

Meals on Wheels

TRUCK NAME: Le Bon de Cuisine

SPECIALTY: Vietnamese-French fusion

USUAL LOCATIONS: Moveable Feast, Food Truck Mafia and Mobile Gourmet events; 56 S. Autumn St. by HP Pavilion before Sharks games; private events

YEARS IN BUSINESS: First opened September 2011

OWNER/CHEF: Jeffrey Nguyen

BACKGROUND: After working in the kitchens of various bistros and restaurants, Jeffrey Nguyen, the 21-year-old owner and chef of Le Bon de Cuisine food truck, sought to do something more. Lacking the capital to open his own restaurant, he invested his savings instead in a beat-up, yet functional, food truck. Combining classical French culinary techniques with traditional Vietnamese flavors, Le Bon de Cuisine was born. Using fresh, local ingredients, Jeffrey emphasizes the quality and integrity of the food.

THE FOOD: Le Bon's succulent and savory pork can be eaten in a variety of ways. We enjoyed the pork belly sandwich, served on a fresh baguette with pickled vegetables, although the miniature sliderlike pork buns were a close second. Non-pork eaters will be satisfied by the spiced lemongrass "Parisian chicken sandwich," très chic Angus burger and tangy shrimp. And for the adventurous, go for the garlic noodles. —Misa Shikuma



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AMBER INDIA Northern Indian, tandoori. \$\$\$. Meals unfold like a bolt of rare silk, served with care and efficiency in a rich, luminous interior. Dishes are complex and varied. 11:30am-2:30pm, 5-9:45pm daily. 2290 El Camino Real. 650.968.7511.

AMICI'S EAST COAST PIZZERIA Pizza/Italian. \$\$.

When it's done right, East Coast pizza can be a glorious thing. Dough is rolled ultrathin and served noticeably charred on the sides and bottom, the ideal combination for a "foldable" slice on the go. It's done right here. 11am-10pm Mon-Thu, 11am-11pm Fri, 11:30am-11pm Sat, 11:30am-10pm Sun. 790 Castro St. 650.961.6666.

BODRUM CAFE Turkish. \$\$\$. The menu at Bodrum Cafe is extensive and covers a lot of ground, but it's the lamb dishes that stand out. A good place to start is with the lahmacun

(Turkey's take on pizza) and the kebabs. 10am-10pm daily. 383 Castro St. 650.396.7010.

CASCAL Spanish tapas. \$\$\$\$. The tapas menu yields big tastes in small portions at this pan-Latin charmer. Calamari, roasted quail and minted lamb meatballs are among the delicacies. Full bar. 11:30am-10pm Mon-Sun. 400 Castro St. 650.940.9500.

CHAAT PARADISE Vegetarian Indian. \$. Golden spices predominate at this popular

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